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RITTER et al.

Group Art Unit: 2768

Appln. No.: 09/508,422

Examiner: NOT ASSIGNED

Filed: March 13, 2000

Title: BILLING SYSTEM AND BILLING METHOD IN A TELECOMMUNICATION NETWORK

April 1, 2003

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Respectfully submitted,

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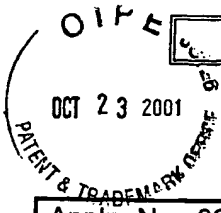
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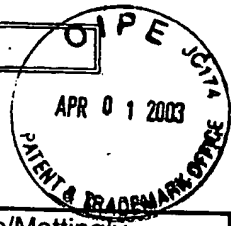
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Applicants hereby request a refund for an incorrect charge of claims when application was filed on March 13, 2000. Applicants filed the above-noted application with 30 total claims and 6 independent claims. A total filing fee of \$2,378.00 has been paid for this application. The appropriate charges should total \$1,254.00 (\$840.00 for PCT National Filing + \$180.00 for 10 claims over 20 + \$234.00 for 3 independent claims over 3 = \$1,254.00). Note that contrary to the bottom of the Notification of Acceptance, Form PCT/DO/EO/903, claim 14 is not a multiple dependent claim.

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